DISTRICT, MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL BOARDS.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notice dated 21st December 1917.

The District Board of Bangalore have, at their meeting held on the 17th December 1917, approved of the proposal of the Dodballapur Taluk Board, to establish a *sante* near Chennadur Agrahara, Mudhure hobli, Dodballapur Taluk.

All those that have any objections to the proposal are requested to send them in writing to this office within one month from the date of the first publication of this notice.

P. F. BOWRING,
President, District Board.

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

No. XV.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICE, ON SATURDAY THE 15TH DECEMBER 1917.

PRESENT.

Dewan Bahadur Rajasabhabhushana K. P. Puttanna Chetty, Esq., C.I.E., Honorary President.
R. Subba Rao, Esq., M.B. & C.M., L.S.SC., Vice-President, *Ex-officio Member.*
F. Fernandes, Esq., L.R.C.P. & S., (Edin.) L.F.P. & S., (Glas.), Health Officer.

C. V. Narasimhiengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.
B. Chinnaswami Chetty, Esq.
M. Basavayya, Esq., B.A., B.L.
B. V. Ramaswami Chetty, Esq., B.A.
B. Usman Khan Sahib, Esq.
M. Subbayya, Esq., B.A.
D. Venkatramaiya, Esq., B.A.
Father P. M. Briand.
B. K. Garuda Char, Esq.
D. Adeppa, Esq.
G. Siddaveerappa, Esq.
H. Ramaiya, Esq.
N. Surappa, Esq.
M. Abbas Khan, Esq.
M. K. Krishnamurthi Rao, Esq.

ABSENT.

D. B. Ramachandra Mudaliar, Esq.
M. Ramachandra Rao Sindhe, Esq.
S. Venkatrama Iyer, Esq., B.A
Revd. D. A. Rees.
D. V. Gundappa, Esq.
S. Venkatarangiengar, Esq.
K. S. Krishna Iyer, Esq., B.A.

1. Letter dated the 12th September 1917, from Mr. M. Basavayya, Municipal Councillor, proposing to move a proposition for the insertion of the following after Section 26 (*b*) of the Municipal Regulation :—

(i) *Section 26* (*c*).—All executive orders of officers or Committees of a Municipal Council shall be communicated to the parties concerned within three days of the date of the order and an appeal shall lie to the Municipal Council against such order within thirty days from the receipt of such order. When orders are so appealed against, the Council shall after considering any report called for and after notice to the party concerned and hearing his objection, if any, decide an appeal on its merits.

(ii) *Section 26* (*d*).—All appointments of officers of any Municipal Council, carrying a pay of Rs. 25 and upwards shall be considered and decided by such Council.

Resolution.—Deferred.

2. Estimate for reforming 3rd and 5th furlongs of Agrahara tank bund road, amounting to Rs. 520, as approved by the Managing Committee.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

3. Government Proceedings No. 2666-6—Ml. 128-16-4, dated the 16th November 1917, sanctioning free grant of sites to the Mahomedan community for the construction of a mosque and a school in the Mahomedan Block, Basavangudi Extension.

Resolution.—Recorded.

4. Opinion of the Managing Committee recommending the appointment of an Overseer and two Sub-Overseers in view of the increasing work of the Municipal Public Works Department.

Resolution.—A temporary staff consisting of an Overseer on Rs. 60 plus 15 per month and two Sub-Overseers on Rs. 35 plus 10 each per month, may be appointed as an experimental measure for a period of fourteen months: a report on the working of the staff and the necessity or otherwise of continuing it may be submitted for the information of the Council at the expiry of twelve months.

(Mr. M. Basavayya's ancillary proposition that a Committee consisting of the Vice-President, the Executive Engineer, City Drainage Project, and the Municipal Engineer may select a suitable candidate after due advertisement was lost—5 voting in favour of the proposition and 9 against).

5. Opinion of the Managing Committee approving of the insertion of a new Section 137 (*a*) after Section 137 of the Municipal Regulation, regarding power installations in City limits for factory purposes.

Resolution.—Approved.

6. Draft bye-laws for regulating the scraping of grass by the side of roads and drains as approved by the Managing Committee.

Resolution.—Approved.

7. Revised bye-laws for regulating the numbering and registering of bicycles and tricycles and motor vehicles liable to Municipal taxation.

Resolution.—Approved. The bye-laws may be called "Revised bye-laws for regulating the levy of taxes on bicycles, tricycles and motor vehicles in the Bangalore City Municipality."

8. Letter No. 327, dated the 21st November 1917, from the Executive Engineer, City Drainage Project, submitting plans and estimates for the proposed New Extension to the East of Fort Centre road amounting to Rs. 3,63,640.

Resolution.—Deferred.

9. Petition for the grant of a site in old Patnoolpet to Mahomed Yakub Adul Kareem for constructing a musafirkhana.

Resolution.—The piece of land in old Patnoolpet area indicated by the petitioner Mr. Yakub Abdul Kareem in his plan, may be given free for the purpose of constructing a musafirkhana for Mussalman travellers under sufficient safeguards to ensure that it is dedicated to the Mussalman public and not used for any other purpose and subject to such conditions as may be imposed by the Municipal Council.

Voting for 11 against nil.

10. Vice-President's memo suggesting an honorarium of each active member of the Audit Committee for each month's audit of Municipal Accounts.

Resolution.—Approved. (For 8 against 6.)

11. Municipal Education Committee's resolution *re* the grant-in-aid to the Model Infant School at Chamarajpet being continued till the end of August 1917.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

12. Estimate for watering important roads amounting to Rs. 1,980, as approved by the Managing Committee.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

13. Vice-President's memo on the Municipal Election Rules of 1909.

Also opinion of the Managing Committee on the subject.

Resolution.—The question will be referred to a Committee consisting of Messrs. D. Venkatramaiya (Convener), M. Basavayya and C. V. Narasimhiengar, for opinion.

14. Vice-President's memo on the draft Explosive Rules issued by Government.

Also opinion of the Managing Committee.

Resolution.—Deferred.

15. Municipal Engineer's Memo No. 1069, dated the 20th November 1917, submitting plan and valuation statement for acquiring Survey Nos. 9 and 10 in Ranganathapur village

belonging to Anur Desikachar for opening a foot-path to Anjaneya temple in Seshadripuram.

Resolution.—Deferred.

16. Opinion of the Managing Committee sanctioning the continuance of the 4 temporary silt carts for a further period of three months, from 1st December 1917, costing Rs. 216.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

17. Remission statement of irrecoverable arrears of taxes relating to 3rd B and C Divisions aggregating Rs. 185-13-5, as approved by the Managing Committee.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

18. Reappropriation statement for additional allotments by transfer on account of works not provided for in the budget.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

19. Health Officer's Memo No. 813, dated the 30th November 1917, proposing in view of the threatened strike of the conservancy staff an increase in the pay of the sweepers and scavengers.

Resolution.—An increase of annas eight per month to each sweeper and scavenger involving an extra expenditure of Rs. 200 per month is sanctioned from 1st December 1917.

Additional subjects.

1. Government Proceedings No. 1064-7—C. P. S., dated the 5th December 1917, sanctioning an estimate for shifting the Transformer House to the triangular plot of land near the Race Course, amounting to Rs. 4,36,183.

Resolution.—Recorded.

2. Proposal to alter Rule 8 of the conduct of business in the City Municipal Committees.

Resolution.—Approved.

Notice No. 1773, *dated* 28*th December* 1917.

The Municipal Council, Bangalore City, having at their meeting held on the 15th December 1917, approved the undermentioned draft bye-laws, the same are published for general information:—

2. Objections or suggestions in respect thereof, received within one month from the date of publication of this notice, will be considered by the Council.

Draft bye-laws framed under Section 48 Cl. (*w*) of the Mysore Municipal Regulation, VII of 1906, for regulating the scraping of grass by the side of roads and drains in the Bangalore City.

['Scraping of grass' means removing grass with a mamooti, spade or such other implement which cuts off sods of earth under grass.]

1. No person shall scrape grass on road or drain margins or on slopes of embankments or from such Municipal areas as may be specified from time to time by the Municipal Council under this bye-law, without a written order from the President or other Officer of the Municipal Council authorised by him on this behalf.

2. Any infringement of the bye-law shall render the offender liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

K. P. PUTTANNA CHETTY,
Honorary President.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FOURTH MEETING OF THE TUMKUR DISTRICT BOARD, HELD ON FRIDAY, THE 14TH DECEMBER 1917.

PRESENT.

Ex-officio Members.

1. A. Subramanya Iyer, Esq., B.A., President.
2. The Sub-Division Officer, Gubbi Sub-Division.
3. The Treasury Assistant Commissioner, Tumkur.
4. The Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division.
5. The District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Tumkur.
6. The District Inspector of Education, Tumkur.